

I am writing to voice my opinion on your proposal to allow consolidation of the media in this country, which I understand will be put to a vote this Monday June 2nd.

As a US citizen and registered voter I can not accept your refusal to acknowledge the bi-partisan call for a democratic debate on this subject. Freedom of the press is essential to the democracy of the United States of America, and the Federal Communication Commission's most important job is to preserve that.

If this proposal is beneficial to the people of the United States, then there should be no reason to keep the issue behind closed doors when clearly the public is so concerned.

As an American I demand that you respond to the public and congressional concern over this proposal at once. Freedom of the press is what makes this country great.

Very Truly Yours-

Elyse Couvillion